MARYLAND COMMISSION CIVIL RIGHTS SUBTITLES 02 – 03, TITLE 14 OF COMAR

OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

In accordance with the Regulatory Review and Evaluation Act (§§10-130 through 10-139 of the State Government Article), the Maryland Commission on Civil Rights (MCCR) is currently reviewing and evaluating the following subtitles of Title 14 of the Code of Maryland Regulations:

- Subtitle 02 Anti-Discrimination Relating to Persons with Disabilities
- Subtitle 03 Penalties

The purpose of the review and evaluation is to determine whether existing regulations continue to accomplish the purposes for which they were adopted, clarify ambiguous or unclear language, and repeal any obsolete or duplicative provisions. Pursuant to its work plan the MCCR will evaluate the need to retain, amend, or repeal the regulations based on whether the regulations are:

- still necessary to the public interest;
- drafted in a clear and understandable manner;
- still supported by statutory authority and judicial opinions and consistent with federal regulations and other State regulations;
- still effective in accomplishing the intended purpose of the regulations;
- obsolete, duplicative, or otherwise appropriate for amendment or repeal.

The MCCR would like to provide interested parties with the opportunity to participate in the review and evaluation process by submitting comments on the regulations. The comments may address any concerns about the regulations. If the comments include suggested changes to the regulations, please be specific as possible and provide language for the suggested changes.

Comments must be received by:

- for subtitle 02, March 3, 2013
- for subtitle 03, March 3, 2013

Comments should be directed to Glendora C. Hughes, General Counsel, and transmitted by mail to 6 St. Paul Street, 9th Floor, Baltimore, Maryland 21202, by fax to 410-333-1841, or by email to glendora.hughes@maryland.gov.